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POLICE "TEAMWORK" BRINGS ARREST IN RECENT SHOOTING

JERSEY CITY – Police officers from the city's newly deployed Shooting Response Team and the Gang/Narcotics Unit joined forces in an investigation that led to the arrest early today of man charged in an Aug. 24th shooting.

Police arrested Daniel Wilson, aka "Buckshyne," 22, of Jersey City, and charged him with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon in connection with the shooting of another man in the leg by two men on bicycles just before 8 p.m. in the area of Martin Luther King Drive and Forrest Street.

"Our Shooting Response Team has been an effective new tool working to gain critical intelligence to remove violent offenders from our city streets," said **Mayor Steven M. Fulop**. "It is this type of policing and cooperation that we are implementing at every level of the Police Department to enhance public safety for all of our residents."

Early last month, *Mayor Steven Fulop* created the Shooting Response Team - a collection of seasoned detectives which investigates every non-fatal shooting in the city.

In addition, plain-clothed and uniformed officers have been conducting on-going street operations, which have resulted in more than 200 arrests to date.

"We continue to get solid results from the Shooting Response Team, the Gang/Narcotics squad and all of our police officers," added **James R. Shea, Acting Public Safety Director**. "We are committed to the improved safety of Jersey City residents and will continue to use all means available to bring about positive results."

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